



## **BEARFACTS 1997 – 2007**

### **Cambria , Pennsylvania [42021]**

Cambria is one of 67 counties in Pennsylvania. It is part of the [Johnstown, PA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2007 population of 144,996 ranked 23rd in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Cambria had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$29,022. This PCPI ranked 47th in the state and was 75 percent of the state average, \$38,793, and 75 percent of the national average, \$38,615. The 2007 PCPI reflected an increase of 6.2 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 5.4 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1997 the PCPI of Cambria was \$19,661 and ranked 50th in the state. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Cambria had a total personal income (TPI) of \$4,208,142\*. This TPI ranked 25th in the state and accounted for 0.9 percent of the state total. In 1997 the TPI of Cambria was \$3,094,564\* and ranked 21st in the state. The 2007 TPI reflected an increase of 5.5 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.0 percent. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Cambria. In 2007 net earnings accounted for 57.3 percent of TPI (compared with 55.9 in 1997); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.9 percent (compared with 17.3 in 1997); and personal current transfer receipts were 29.8 percent (compared with 26.8 in 1997). From 2006 to 2007 net earnings increased 5.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.4 percent. From 1997 to 2007 net earnings increased on average 3.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 0.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Cambria increased from \$2,574,252\* in 2006 to \$2,699,035\* in 2007, an increase of 4.8 percent. The 2006-2007 state change was 4.9 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1997 estimate of \$1,949,206\* to the 2007 estimate was 3.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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